

PAYROLL COMPARISON – 2026

Proposer Name: Jennifer Palladino

Evaluator Printed Name: Michael Farrell

PAYROLL from Operational Form 4.3 Staffing and Personnel Calculation

	Location Number(s)					
	<u>Loc. 1</u>	<u>Loc. 2</u>	<u>Loc. 3</u>	<u>Loc. 4</u>	<u>Loc. 5</u>	<u>Loc. 6</u>
	20-A					
Highest Rate	\$18/hr					
Lowest Rate	\$14/hr					
Number of Hours Recommended	134					
Number of Hours Proposed	174					
Total Monthly Wages	\$9,632					

Comments:

PERSONAL EVALUATION (2026)

Jennifer Palladino
20-A / 26014
Defiance County, Defiance
BMV Site

Evaluation Team Number: _____

Location(s) Proposed: (#1) 20-A _____

Proposed as 2nd Location _____

Verify Proposer's Full Name: (#2) Jennifer Lu Palladino _____

Proposer's County of Residence (NPC Operation) _____

Verify Proposer's Driver's License Number: (#6) _____

Proposing as Minority: (#9) Yes _____ No

Proposing as: (#10) Individual Clerk of Courts _____ Co. Auditor _____ Nonprofit Corp. _____

SCORING SUMMARY

FORM 3.0, PERSONAL CHECKLIST	(Max. 16 Points):	<u>16</u>
PERSONAL EVALUATION, Page 2	(Max. 55 Points):	<u>50</u>
BUSINESS AND EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE, Page 3	(Max. 100 Points):	<u>100</u>
PERSONAL EVALUATION, Page 5	(Max. 28 Points):	<u>28</u>
PERSONAL EVALUATION, Page 6	(Max. 17 Points):	<u>17</u>
PERSONAL EVALUATION, Page 7	(Max. 27 Points):	<u>27</u>
PERSONAL EVALUATION, Page 8	(Max. 15 Points):	<u>15</u>

TOTAL POINTS (Max. 258 Points): 253

Comments: Answered yes to being an insurance company agent, writing auto insurance.

Evaluators' Signatures

Evaluators' Printed Names

Date

(1) Michael Farrell Michael Farrell 2/25/26

(2) _____

PERSONAL EVALUATION		OK	NO
1. Proposer does not and will not hold a PROHIBITED elective public office other than County Clerk of Courts or County Auditor? (#11 & 12)	5	*	
2. Proposer does not hold an overlapping deputy registrar contract? (#13) If contract overlaps, what is the expiration date of the contract? <u>6/26/27</u>	0	0	
3. Proposer is not a prohibited relative of a current deputy registrar? (#14, 15 & 16)	5	*	
4. Proposer is not a prohibited relative of an ODPS employee, or (if a relative) proposer has either been a deputy registrar continuously since January 1, 1992, or the ODPS employee became employed after the proposer was first appointed deputy registrar? (#17)	5	*	
5. Proposer is not a State of Ohio employee or will resign? (#19)	5	*	
6. Proposer is not an active insurance agent or is nonprofit? (#20)	5	*	
7. Proposer states no criminal conviction within the last 10 years? (#21)	5	*	
8. Proposer owes no local, state, or federal delinquent taxes, social security payments, workers' compensation premiums or mandatory contributions? (#22)	5	*	
9. Proposer agrees to maintain acceptable business liability insurance in accordance with Ohio Revised Code section 4503.03(C)? (#23)	5	*	
10. Proposer can meet bond requirements? (#24 and acceptable proof)	5	*	
11. Acceptable educational information OR nonprofit corporation? (#25)	5	0	
12. Proposer has computer training or experience? (#26)	5	0	

PERSONAL EVALUATION POINTS, Page 2 (Max. 55 Points) 50

NOTE: Score indicated "*" may lead to disqualification OR contract contingency. Score "0" may lead to contract contingency.

Comments: Proposer states is an active insurance agent, writing automobile insurance

BUSINESS AND EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE VERIFICATION

Person called: Verified at telephone () _____

Company: Jennifer Lu LLC

Relationship: Deputy Registrar

Verified experience as: Deputy Registrar Agency Owner (50) Other Business Owner (34) _____

Manager or Supervisor (25) _____ Deputy Registrar Employee (23) _____ Other Employee (20) _____

Hours per week: 38

From (date): 5/2022 To (date): 2/2026 Length: 3.8 yrs

Verified Hours 38 = Factor 1 x Years 3.8 x Points ~~50~~ = 190

Person called: _____ at telephone () _____

Company: _____

Relationship: _____

Verified experience as: Deputy Registrar Agency Owner (50) _____ Other Business Owner (34) _____

Manager or Supervisor (25) _____ Deputy Registrar Employee (23) _____ Other Employee (20) _____

Hours per week: _____

From (date): _____ To (date): _____ Length: _____

Verified Hours _____ = Factor _____ x Years _____ x Points _____ = _____

Person called: _____ at telephone () _____

Company: _____

Relationship: _____

Verified experience as: Deputy Registrar Agency Owner (50) _____ Other Business Owner (34) _____

Manager or Supervisor (25) _____ Deputy Registrar Employee (23) _____ Other Employee (20) _____

Hours per week: _____

From (date): _____ To (date): _____ Length: _____

Verified Hours _____ = Factor _____ x Years _____ x Points _____ = _____

BUSINESS AND EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE CALCULATION

13. DEPUTY REGISTRAR AGENCY OWNER Experience, Form 3.2

ITEM	AGENCY/COMPANY	HOURS = FACTOR x YEARS	x	POINTS =	SCORE	VERIFIED
A.	<i>Jennifer Lv LLC</i>	# NA = 1.0	x <i>3.8</i>	x 50 =	<i>190</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
B.		# NA = 1.0	x	x 50 =		
C.		# NA = 1.0	x	x 50 =		
Subtotal of 13-A, 13-B & 13-C =					<i>190</i>	

14. OTHER BUSINESS OWNERSHIP Experience, Form 3.2

ITEM	AGENCY/COMPANY	HOURS = FACTOR x YEARS	x	POINTS =	SCORE	VERIFIED
A.		# =	x	x 34 =		
B.		# =	x	x 34 =		
C.		# =	x	x 34 =		
Subtotal of 14-A, 14-B & 14-C =						

15. SUPERVISORY / MANAGEMENT (ANY BUSINESS – INCLUDING DR) Experience, Form 3.2

ITEM	AGENCY/COMPANY	HOURS = FACTOR x YEARS	x	POINTS =	SCORE	VERIFIED
A.		# =	x	x 25 =		
B.		# =	x	x 25 =		
C.		# =	x	x 25 =		
Subtotal of 15-A, 15-B & 15-C =						

Total DR, Ownership and/or Management #13-15 (Max. 100 Points) = *100*

16. DEPUTY REGISTRAR EMPLOYMENT (NON-MANAGEMENT) Experience, Form 3.2

ITEM	AGENCY	HOURS = FACTOR x YEARS	x	POINTS =	SCORE	VERIFIED
A.		# =	x	x 23 =		
B.		# =	x	x 23 =		
C.		# =	x	x 23 =		
D.		# =	x	x 23 =		
Subtotal of 16-A, 16-B, 16-C & 16-D =						

Total DR Employment Experience #16 (Max. 90 Points) =

17. OTHER EMPLOYMENT Experience, Form 3.2

ITEM	AGENCY/COMPANY	HOURS = FACTOR x YEARS	x	POINTS =	SCORE	VERIFIED
A.		# =	x	x 20 =		
B.		# =	x	x 20 =		
C.		# =	x	x 20 =		
D.		# =	x	x 20 =		
Subtotal of Lines 17-A, 17-B, 17-C & 17-D =						

Total Other Employment Experience #17 (Max. 80 Points) =

ENTER LARGEST OF TOTALS [13-15 (100 pts.), 16 (90 pts.), or 17 (80 pts.)] = *100*

PERSONAL EVALUATION

OK | NO

18. Form 3.3 – Customer Service Experience		
Did proposer provide acceptable list of ideas to improve customer service at a deputy registrar agency or provide an example of something done as part of a job or business to improve services for customers?	2	0
19. Form 3.4 – Start-Up Cost Funds On Deposit (not required for Auditors or Clerks of Courts)		
A. Are funds in acceptable financial institution and verified with bank/teller stamp?	5	*
B. Are funds in proposer's or proposer's business name or joint with spouse?	5	*
20. Form 3.5 – Political Contributions Report (not required for Auditors or Clerks of Courts)		
Did proposer mark "NO" for every category, every year? (For Nonprofit Corporations, evaluate both Corporation's and CEO's Form 3.5)	5	*
21. Form 3.6 – Personnel Policy Summary		
Does proposer agree to provide/maintain a written personnel policy covering the following:		
A. Hiring employees with deputy registrar agency experience?	11	0
B. Equal Employment Opportunity?		
C. Employee training by the deputy registrar?		
D. Participation in BMV provided training?		
E. Evaluation of employee performance?		
F. Grounds for discipline or dismissal/termination (list) which shall include drug and alcohol use?		
G. Progressive disciplinary steps?		
H. Dress code with list of acceptable attire?		
I. Dress code with list of unacceptable attire?		
J. A policy for maintaining the professional appearance of all staff at all times?		
K. Fringe benefits (beyond those required by law or contract)?		

PERSONAL EVALUATION POINTS, Page 5 (Max. 28 Points)

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NOTE: Score indicated "*" may lead to disqualification OR contract contingency. Score "0" may lead to contract contingency.

Comments: _____

PERSONAL EVALUATION

OK | NO

22. Form 3.7 – Security Plan Summary - Did proposer agree to provide:		
A. An electronic alarm system? (Mandatory)	13	*
B. Alarm system monitored 24 hours, off-site? (Mandatory)		
C. Alarm system reports off-site if wires cut or tampered with? (Mandatory)		
D. Adequate alarm monitored panic/hold-up buttons? (Mandatory)		
E. Motion detectors connected to alarm system? (Mandatory)		
F. Alarm monitored contacts on all exterior doors? (Mandatory)		
G. Alarm monitored contacts on all exterior windows? (Mandatory)		
H. Video recording camera surveillance system? (Mandatory)		
I. Safe or secured locking cabinet? (Mandatory)		
J. Secured storage room with alarm monitored contacts on door(s) and window(s), if applicable? (Mandatory)		
K. Cross cut shredder to be made available to destroy customer copy records? (Mandatory)		
L. All doors and all windows will be securely locked when license agency is closed? (Mandatory)		
M. Smoke, fire, and carbon monoxide detection devices (Mandatory)?		
N. Interior/Exterior motion activated security lights? (Suggested) – Check OK or NO		
23. Form 3.8 – Facility Maintenance Plan Summary - Did proposer agree to provide:		
A. Indoor/Outdoor maintenance and cleaning?	1	0
B. Prompt snow and ice removal?	1	0
C. Carpet and/or floor cleaning (if appropriate)?	1	0
D. Repainting?	1	0

PERSONAL EVALUATION POINTS, Page 6 (Max. 17 Points) 17

NOTE: Score indicated "*" may lead to disqualification OR contract contingency. Score "0" may lead to contract contingency.

Comments: _____

PERSONAL EVALUATION

OK | NO

24. Form 3.9 – Involved and Invested in Your Business		
1. How do you plan to manage, be responsible, and be accountable for this business at all times?	1	0
2. How will you ensure that all laws, rules, guidelines and procedures are followed, at all times, specifically with regard to issuing and renewing driver licenses, identification cards, and vehicle registrations?	1	0
3. What measures will you put in place to detect, deter, and prevent fraud?	1	0
4. The Ohio Bureau of Motor Vehicles routinely issues new and/or revised policy and procedural changes through email broadcasts to the deputy registrars. How will you ensure that policies and procedures are communicated to the staff and followed on a daily basis?	1	0
5. How will you demonstrate good leadership to your employees?	1	0
6. How will you maintain a high level of professionalism each day in this business?	1	0
7. How do you intend to recruit and retain high quality employees?	1	0
8. How will you provide a safe, clean, and friendly place to do business?	1	0
9. How would you deal with an irate customer?	1	0
10. What training or advice do you, or will you, give to your employees for dealing with irate customers?	1	0
11. How will you meet the expectations of the Ohio Bureau of Motor Vehicles?	1	0
12. Why should the Ohio Bureau of Motor Vehicles consider you for a deputy registrar license agency contract?	1	0
25. Form 3.10(A) (B) or (C) – Affidavit of Individual, Auditor/Clerk of Courts or Nonprofit Corporation		
A. Did proposer submit proper affidavit without alteration and does it appear to be complete, accurate, and truthful ?	3	*
B. Is it the affidavit duly signed and notarized?	2	*
26. Local Law Enforcement Report / Articles of Incorporation (AOI)		
A. No disqualifying convictions for individual / AOI for nonprofit corporation?	3	*
B. No convictions (except minor traffic) / AOI for nonprofit corporation?	2	0
27. BCI / FBI Criminal Background (WebCheck) Report / AOI for Nonprofit Corporation		
No disqualifying convictions for individual / AOI for nonprofit corporation?	5	*

PERSONAL EVALUATION POINTS, Page 7 (Max. 27 Points)

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OPERATIONAL EVALUATION (2026)

Jennifer Palladino
20-A / 26014
Defiance County, Defiance
BMV Site

FORM	DESCRIPTION	OK	NO
4.0	Operational Checklist – Maximum = 6 Points (enter points recorded on bottom of Form 4.0)	6	
4.1	Appointment of Agency Managers		
	A. Deputy to Work at Least Twenty (20) Hours Per Week Proposed Work Hours Per Week <u>20</u>	5	*
	B. Appointment of Manager and Assistant OR Acceptable Statement	3	0
4.2	Experienced Employees Summary		
	Gave Acceptable Statement OR Provided Names	2	0
4.3	Staffing and Personnel Calculation		
	A. Hours Recommended: <u>134</u> Proposed: <u>174</u>	4	*
	B. Work Hours and Pay Calculated Correctly	2	0
	C. Meets Minimum Wage Requirement (2026 Ohio Minimum Wage Rate = \$7.25 or \$11.00 Per Hour)	1	*
4.4	Start-Up Costs Calculation		
	A. Adequate and Accurate Personnel Costs	3	0
	B. Adequate and Accurate Site Preparation Costs	2	0
	C. Adequate and Accurate Rental Payments	2	0
	D. Total Required: \$ <u>15,845.21</u> On Deposit (Form 3.4): \$ <u>53,198.65</u>	5	*
4.5	Deputy Registrar Contract		
	A. Filled Out Completely and Properly	2	0
	B. Signed and Properly Notarized	3	0

OPERATIONAL EVALUATION POINTS (Max. 40 Points) 38

NOTE: Score indicated "*" may lead to disqualification OR contract contingency. Score "0" may lead to contract contingency.

Comments: Total proposed hours does not match hours proposed for each position. Deputy Registrar position hrs blank.

Evaluators' signatures	Printed names	Date
(1) <u>Michael Farrel</u>	<u>Michael Farrel</u>	<u>2/25/26</u>
(2) _____	_____	_____

Operational Evaluation (2026)

3.0 PERSONAL CHECKLIST

Proposer's Full Legal Name Jennifer L. Palladino

Proposer Number (BMV use only) _____

INSTRUCTIONS: You must submit one original of this form and all documents listed on this form as appropriate based on your status as a proposer (individual, county auditor, clerk of courts or nonprofit corporation). Even if you are submitting more than one proposal, only one original of these forms are required. Please submit via email in accordance with the RFP instructions.

INDIVIDUAL	✓	BMV	COUNTY AUDITOR OR CLERK OF COURTS	✓	BMV	NONPROFIT CORPORATION	✓	BMV
Form 3.0 Personal Checklist (this form)	✓		Form 3.0 Personal Checklist (this form)			Form 3.0 Personal Checklist (this form)		
Form 3.1 Personal Questionnaire	✓		Form 3.1 Personal Questionnaire			Form 3.1 Personal Questionnaire		
Form 3.2 Business and Employment Experience	✓		Forms 3.2 Business and Employment Experience			Forms 3.2 Business and Employment Experience		
Form 3.3 Customer Service Experience	✓		Form 3.3 Customer Service Experience			Form 3.3 Customer Service Experience		
Form 3.4 Start-Up Cost Funds on Deposit	✓		N/A	X	1	Form 3.4 Start-Up Cost Funds on Deposit		
Form 3.5 Political Contributions Report	✓		N/A	X	1	Form 3.5 Political Contributions Report Nonprofit Corporation		
N/A	X	1	N/A	X	1	Form 3.5 Political Contributions Report Chief Executive Officer		
Form 3.6 Comprehensive Personnel Policy Agreement	✓		Form 3.6 Comprehensive Personnel Policy Agreement			Form 3.6 Comprehensive Personnel Policy Agreement		
Form 3.7 Security Plan Agreement	✓		Form 3.7 Security Plan Agreement			Form 3.7 Security Plan Agreement		
Form 3.8 Facility Maintenance Plan Agreement	✓		Form 3.8 Facility Maintenance Plan Agreement			Form 3.8 Facility Maintenance Plan Agreement		
Form 3.9 Involved and Invested in Your Business	✓		Form 3.9 Involved and Invested in Your Business			Form 3.9 Involved and Invested in Your Business		
Form 3.10(A) Affidavit of Individual	✓		Form 3.10(B) Affidavit of Auditor or Clerk of Courts			Form 3.10(C) Affidavit of Nonprofit Corporation		
2026 Credit Report	✓		N/A	X	1	2026 Certificate of Good Standing		
2026 Local Law Enforcement Report	✓		2026 Local Law Enforcement Report			Articles of Incorporation		
2026 WebCheck Receipt	✓		2026 WebCheck Receipt			N/A	X	1
Pre-approval Statement for \$25,000 Bond	✓		Current Bond with BMV added as Additional Insured or CORSA			Pre-approval Statement for \$25,000 Bond		
INDIVIDUAL			COUNTY AUDITOR OR CLERK OF COURTS			NONPROFIT CORPORATION		

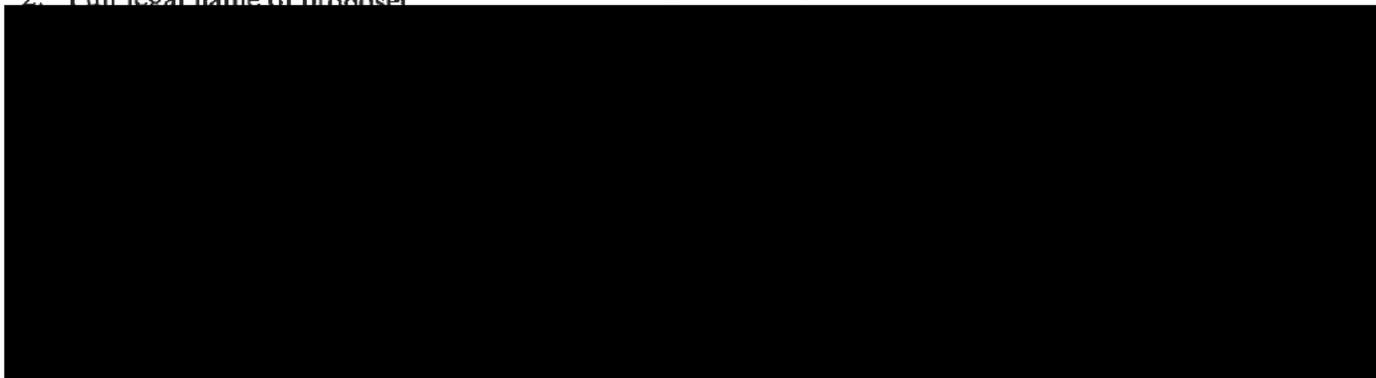
3.1 PERSONAL QUESTIONNAIRE

1. List all location numbers for which the applicant intends to submit a proposal (limit six locations). Check the box underneath if proposing the location as a second site in addition to a current agency:

20-A _____ _____ _____ _____ _____

_____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____

2. Full legal name of proposer Jennifer Lu Palladino



7. Spouse's name (nonprofit corporation N/A) N/A

8. Spouse's home street address (nonprofit corporation N/A) N/A

City _____ State _____ Zip code _____

9. Are you proposing as the owner of a minority business enterprise (MBE)? No Yes _____

10. Proposer is (check one and follow instructions):

An individual person. These forms are designed to be self-explanatory for Proposers proposing as individual persons. Answer all questions as they apply to you personally. If a question does not apply to you, enter "N/A" or "Not applicable";

_____ **The Clerk of Courts** of _____ County;

_____ **The County Auditor** of _____ County. Answer all questions as they apply to you and your position as Clerk of Courts or County Auditor. If a question does not apply to you or your position, enter "N/A" or "Not applicable";

_____ **A nonprofit corporation (NPC).** An officer or an authorized agent should answer all questions and sign all documents on behalf of the NPC. The answers must refer to the NPC itself and not to the individual officers, agents, or employees of the NPC, unless otherwise specified. Many questions are not applicable to nonprofit corporations. To assist your responses, we have marked those questions "NPC N/A" meaning we believe the marked question is not applicable to most nonprofit corporations. Please answer all other questions unless clearly inapplicable.

11. A. Are you currently serving in elective public office, other than Clerk of Courts or County Auditor, either by election or appointment (includes precinct committee person)? (NPC N/A)
 Yes _____ No

B. If YES, in what elective office are you serving? N/A

C. If YES, date that you plan to leave this office? N/A

12. A. Are you currently running for any elective public office. (including precinct committee person)? (NPC N/A)
 Yes _____ No

B. If YES, what office? N/A

13. A. Are you currently a deputy registrar?
 Yes No _____

B. If YES, on what date does your contract expire? 6/26/2027

C. If YES, have you served as a deputy registrar continuously since January 1, 1992?
 No Yes _____

14. A. Is your spouse currently a deputy registrar? (NPC N/A)
 Yes _____ No

B. If YES, on what date does your spouse's contract expire? N/A

For the following three questions, **extended family** includes your spouse, parent, brother, sister, son, daughter, father-in-law, mother-in-law, brother-in-law, sister-in-law, son-in-law, or daughter-in-law:

15. A. Does any member of your extended family currently hold a deputy registrar contract? (NPC N/A)
 Yes No _____

B. If YES, list their name, relationship to you, whether you share the same household, and date their contract expires here:

Name	Relationship	Same Household	Contract Expires
		Yes _____ No _____	
		Yes _____ No _____	
		Yes _____ No _____	

16. A. To the best of your knowledge, will any member of your extended family submit a proposal in response to this RFP? (NPC N/A)
 Yes No _____

B. If YES, list their name, relationship to you, and whether you share the same household:

Name	Relationship	Same Household	
		Yes ___	No ___
		Yes ___	No ___
		Yes ___	No ___

17. A. Is any member of your extended family employed by any subdivision of the Ohio Department of Public Safety? (NPC N/A)

Yes ___ No

B. If YES, list their name, relationship to you, and the date they became so employed:

Name	Relationship	Employment Date

18. A. Have you completed the Political Contributions Report, Form 3.5? (NPC must submit one for NPC itself and one for its C.E.O.)

No ___ Yes

B. If "NO," are you applying as a Clerk of Courts or County Auditor? No ___ Yes ___

19. A. Are you an employee of the State of Ohio? (NPC N/A)

Yes ___ No

B. If "YES," will you resign, if appointed? No ___ Yes ___

20. Are you an insurance company agent, writing automobile insurance? (NPC N/A)

Yes No ___

21. Has Proposer (including NPC and proposed office manager) been convicted within the past ten years of a crime punishable by death or imprisonment in excess of one year (felony), or any crime involving dishonesty or false statement?

Yes ___ No

22. As of the date of this certification does Proposer owe any overdue taxes, unemployment compensation contributions, social security payments, or workers' compensation premiums either to the State of Ohio or any political subdivision thereof, or to the federal government, or any other state or locality within the United States?

Yes ___ No

23. Is Proposer willing and able, if appointed, to maintain during the entire term of your contract a policy of business liability property damage, and theft insurance satisfactory to the Registrar and hold the Department of Public Safety, the Director of Public Safety, the Bureau of Motor Vehicles, and the Registrar of Motor Vehicles harmless upon claims for damages in accordance with Ohio Revised Code 4503.03(C)? (County Auditor/Clerk of Courts N/A)

No _____ Yes

24. Is Proposer bondable as outlined in Ohio Administrative Code 4501:1-6-01(B)?

No _____ Yes

25. Please provide the following information regarding your education. If applying as a NPC, please provide educational information for the individual who will manage the license agency business.

High school diploma? No _____ Yes

High school name Defiance High School

City Defiance State Ohio Zip 43513

College name Northwest State Commuity College

City Archbold State Ohio Zip 43502

Major Nursing/Business Degree awarded Associates in Science & Arts

College name N/A

City N/A State N/A Zip N/A

Major N/A Degree awarded N/A

26. Computer experience. Does Proposer have any training or experience working with or using computers? (Incumbent deputy registrars may take credit for operating BMV computers. For nonprofit corporations, this question should be answered for computer systems operated or used in the nonprofit corporation's activities.)

No _____ Yes

28. Employment, management, supervisory, and business experience. Each Proposer's experience is one of the most important factors to be considered in the award of deputy registrar contracts. For the purposes of this RFP, experience gained prior to the year 1990 will not be evaluated or considered. Please provide a professional resume, in chronological order (no earlier than 1990), the positions you have held. If the position you held in 1990 was one you started before 1990, you may list that position and the date you actually started on your submitted resume. If you did not hold any position in 1990, please begin with the first position you held after 1990. If applying as a NPC, please provide a description of the fundraising, program, and charitable functions of the nonprofit corporation.

**FORM 3.2(A) BUSINESS OWNERSHIP EXPERIENCE
FORM 3.2(B) MANAGEMENT AND/OR SUPERVISORY EXPERIENCE
FORM 3.2(C) EMPLOYEE EXPERIENCE**

Instructions

It is important that you supply complete and accurate information about all relevant business ownership, management, supervisory, and employment experience so that the BMV will be able to verify that experience from independent sources. Generally, proposers receive the most consideration for service as a deputy registrar, second most consideration for service as a business owner, third most consideration for service as a manager or supervisor, fourth most consideration as a deputy registrar employee without management experience, and least consideration for other employment experience without any supervisory or management experience. Be sure to include as much detailed experience possible within the submitted professional resume.

Nonprofit corporations must report only the businesses and activities conducted by the nonprofit corporation itself on Form 3.2(A) Business Ownership Experience. If the nonprofit corporation has operated a deputy registrar agency, that information should be entered and submitted on one Form 3.2(A) Business Ownership Experience. Any other business activities (fundraising, charitable activities, etc.) should also be entered and submitted on a separate 3.2(A) Business Ownership Experience. Use a separate Form 3.2 for each separate business activity performed by the NPC and a separate Form 3.2(A) for each separate business activity performed by the NPC.

Form 3.2(A) Business Ownership Experience. Deputy registrars, nonprofit corporations, county auditors, clerks of courts, and individuals should use this form to report on businesses actually owned and operated by them.

Form 3.2(B) Management and/or Supervisory Experience. Individuals, county auditors, and clerks of courts should use this form to report management and supervisory experience performed by them. Service as a county auditor or clerk of court qualifies as management and supervisory experience.

Form 3.2(C) Employee Experience. Individuals, county auditors, and clerks of courts should use this form to report all other employment that did not include management or supervisory authority.

FORM 3.2(A) BUSINESS OWNERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Instructions. Please fill out one of these forms 3.2(A) for each business you have owned. Do not use this form 3.2(A) for management, supervisory, or employee experience. If you have owned more than one business, submit a separate for 3.2(A) for each business owned. *Please make additional copies of this form as necessary.*

Proposer's name Jennifer L. Palladino Company name Jennifer LU LLC
Company address 777 Fox Road City Van Wert
State Ohio Zip 43512 Telephone (419) 238-9399
Type of business (deputy registrar, retail grocery, etc.) Deputy Registrar of Van Wert BMV.

Company's products and/or services Licensing services, out of state inspections, passport photos, etc.

BUSINESS OWNER - Form of ownership (sole proprietor, partner, etc.): S-Corp

1. Federal Tax ID Number: [REDACTED]
2. Percentage of business you owned: 100 % Hours worked weekly 38
3. Dates you operated this business: From: month 5 year 2022 To: month present year
4. Is/was this business profitable? No Yes ✓
5. Is/was this business your primary source of income and support? No Yes ✓
6. Do/did you directly hire, evaluate, train, and discipline employees? No Yes ✓
7. Do/did you directly manage employees on a daily basis? No Yes ✓
- If you answered yes to question number 6, how many employees do/did you manage? 5
8. Have you ever developed a comprehensive business plan? No Yes ✓

List at least one person, not a relative of yours, who can verify this experience. If we cannot contact at least one person to verify this experience, you will not receive any credit for it. (If you are a deputy registrar or deputy registrar employee, you may list BMV employees to verify that experience.)

Name	City	State	Zip	Daytime Phone
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3.2(B) MANAGEMENT AND/OR SUPERVISORY EXPERIENCE

Instructions. Please fill out one of these forms 3.2(B) for each separate management or supervisory job you have held. Do not use this form 3.2(B) for business ownership or regular employee positions. Use a separate form 3.2(B) for each management or supervisory position that you have held. *Please make additional copies of this form as necessary.*

Proposer's name Jennifer L. Palladino Company name Defiance License Bureau
Company address 999 Procom Drive Suite 103 City Defiance
State Ohio Zip 43512 Telephone (419) 784-4400
Type of business (deputy registrar, retail grocery, etc.) Ohio BMV

Management/supervisory duties I took care of customers along with daily business tasks. Would do banking, scheduling, inventory. & train employees.

MANAGER OR SUPERVISOR - Job title: Manager

1. Title of position Manager Hours worked weekly? 40
2. Dates this position was held: From: month 09 year 2001 To: month 05 year 2022
3. Do/did you directly hire, evaluate, train, and discipline employees? No Yes
4. Do/did you directly manage/supervise employees on a daily basis? No Yes
If you answered yes to question number 4, how many employees do/did you manage? 4
5. Have you ever developed a comprehensive business plan? No Yes

List at least one person, not a relative of yours, who can verify this experience. If we cannot contact at least one person to verify this experience, you will not receive any credit for it. (If you are a deputy registrar or deputy registrar employee, you may list BMV employees to verify that experience.)

Name	City	State	Zip	Daytime Phone
[REDACTED]				

3.2(C) EMPLOYEE EXPERIENCE

Instructions. Please fill out one of these forms 3.2(C) for each and every separate job you have held as an employee. Do not use this form 3.2(C) for business ownership or jobs in which you had management or supervisory duties. Use a separate form 3.2(C) for each non-management and/or non-supervisory job held. *Please make additional copies of this form as necessary.*

Proposer's name Jennifer L. Palladino Company name Sears

Company address 1500 N. Clinton Street City Defiance

State Ohio Zip 43512 Telephone (N/A) _____

Type of business (deputy registrar, retail grocery, etc.) Retail - Store closed years ago.

EMPLOYEE - Job title: Retail Sales Clerk

Hours worked weekly 20-30 Job duties My responsibilities included customer service, inventory , stocking/organizing merchandise with clothing, and in the jewelry departments.

Dates of this employment: From: month 01 year 1995 To: month 6 year 2001

Describe how and to what extent **you provided high quality customer service** at this position:

I worked in different areas of the store. I would help and assist customers in the clothing areas and also in the Fine Jewelry department. When store was slow I would assist in stocking and training new employees.

List at least one person, not a relative of yours, who can verify this experience. If we cannot contact at least one person to verify this experience, you will not receive any credit for it. (If you are a deputy registrar or deputy registrar employee, you may list BMV employees to verify that experience.)

Name	City	State	Zip	Daytime Phone
[Redacted]				

3.3 CUSTOMER SERVICE EXPERIENCE

Instructions. Please give us a list of ideas you have to improve customer service at your deputy registrar agency. You will only receive full credit if you demonstrate sufficient customer service awareness.

- A. This is a list of ideas I have to improve customer service at my deputy registrar agency if I am awarded a contract (Please be specific) and/or this is an example of something I have done as part of my job or business to improve services for my customers (Please be specific):

Ideas I have to improve customer service is to make sure my staff is adequately updated on training and knowledge of the job to perform their duties. I will make sure my staff knows the importance of their positions and clearly explain to them the policies of the services we offer. In any difficult situations we will make efforts to assist in de-escalating the situation to find a remedy. I will stay calm and use patience to try to help resolving any issues. I will listen to the customers concerns and maintain professional customer service.

Form 3.3, Customer Service Experience (2026)

3.5 POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS REPORT

Instructions

Instructions You must report on the following page whether you and your immediate family together gave more than \$100.00 to any political party or to certain individual candidates during any one of the last three calendar years and so far this year.

"Immediate family" means you, a spouse residing with you, and any dependent children. You must add together all contributions you, your spouse, and your dependent children made to each separate party or each separate candidate during each calendar year.

"Political party" means each separate political party and includes any political action committee (PAC) and any "continuing association" which are connected to that political party. "Political party" includes all levels of that party, federal, state, county, and local.

"Candidate" includes both the candidate and any of that candidate's campaign committees. You must report only for candidates for the following offices: Ohio governor, attorney general, secretary of state, treasurer of state, auditor of state, state senator or state representative. You are not required to report any contributions to federal, county, local, or judicial candidates.

"More than \$100.00" means any amount exceeding \$100.00, starting with \$100.01. A contribution of exactly \$100.00 or less is acceptable. Contributions include the value of any "in-kind" contributions.

County Auditors and Clerks of Court are exempt from this requirement and need not file this Report of Political Contributions.

Nonprofit Corporations must submit one report for the nonprofit corporation itself and one report for the chief executive officer (C.E.O.) who has, or will have, primary responsibility for the nonprofit corporation's operation of the deputy registrar agency. There is only one copy of this report in this package. Nonprofit corporations must make a second copy and submit one copy for the nonprofit corporation itself and one for the C.E.O. who will be responsible for the operation of the deputy registrar agency.

Name: Jennifer L. Palladino

Title (if officer of nonprofit corporation): N/A

(A nonprofit corporation must submit two separate reports: one for the nonprofit corporation itself, and one for its chief executive officer)

Did you and your immediate family together give more than \$100.00 to any of the following during any one of the years listed? You must place a check mark "✓" in the appropriate box, "yes" or "no" for each category and year separately.

RECIPIENT	JAN 1 - DEC 31 2023		JAN 1 - DEC 31 2024		JAN 1 - DEC 31 2025		2026 To Date	
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
Democratic Party including PACs and Associations		✓		✓		✓		✓
Republican Party including PACs and Associations		✓		✓		✓		✓
Any other Party including PACs and Associations		✓		✓		✓		✓
Governor, Candidate and Committee		✓		✓		✓		✓
Attorney General, Candidate and Committee		✓		✓		✓		✓
Secretary of State, Candidate and Committee		✓		✓		✓		✓
Treasurer of State, Candidate and Committee		✓		✓		✓		✓
Auditor of State, Candidate and Committee		✓		✓		✓		✓
State Senator, Candidate and Committee		✓		✓		✓		✓
State Representative, Candidate and Committee		✓		✓		✓		✓

Form 3.5, Political Contributions Report (2026)

3.6 PERSONNEL POLICY

A comprehensive personnel policy must be readily available and presented upon request. Items needing covered within the agency's comprehensive personnel policy are listed below.

Do you agree to provide a comprehensive personnel policy, if requested, that covers the listed items?

No _____ Yes

COMPREHENSIVE PERSONNEL POLICY MUST INCLUDE PROVISIONS FOR:

HIRING EMPLOYEES WITH DEPUTY REGISTRAR AGENCY EXPERIENCE
EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY
EMPLOYEE TRAINING BY THE DEPUTY REGISTRAR
PARTICIPATION IN BMV PROVIDED TRAINING
DOCUMENTED PERIODIC EMPLOYEE PERFORMANCE EVALUATIONS (ANNUAL AT A MINIMUM)
LIST OF GROUNDS FOR DISCIPLINE OR DISMISSAL
PROGRESSIVE DISCIPLINARY ACTION
DRESS CODE WITH LISTS OF ACCEPTABLE AND UNACCEPTABLE ATTIRE
POLICY FOR MAINTAINING PROFESSIONAL APPEARANCE
FRINGE BENEFITS

3.7 SECURITY PLAN SUMMARY

If you are awarded a contract, you will be required to adopt a security plan to assure that agency employees, patrons, other citizens, equipment, and consigned inventory will be protected from harm (your plan should detail how you intend to address the items listed below).

If you are awarded a contract, do you agree to provide all of the following?

Yes No

ELECTRONIC ALARM SYSTEM
ALARM SYSTEM MONITORED 24 HOURS, OFF-SITE
ALARM SYSTEM REPORTS OFF-SITE IF WIRES ARE CUT OR TAMPERED
ADEQUATE ALARM MONITORED PANIC/HOLD BUTTONS
MOTION DETECTORS CONNECTED TO ALARM SYSTEM
ALARM MONITORED DOOR CONTACT ON ALL EXTERIOR DOORS
ALARM MONITORED CONTACTS ON ALL EXTERIOR WINDOWS
VIDEO RECORDING CAMERA SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM
A SAFE OR SECURE LOCKING CABINET
A SECURED STORAGE ROOM WITH ALARM MONITORED CONTACTS ON DOOR(S) AND WINDOW(S)
A CROSS CUT SHREDDER
SECURELY LOCK ALL DOORS AND WINDOWS WHEN OUTSIDE BUSINESS HOURS
SMOKE, FIRED, AND CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTION DEVICES
INTERIOR/EXTERIOR MOTION ACTIVATED SECURITY LIGHTS

Note: For Deputy Provided Sites, the deputy registrar shall install and maintain an approved alarm system. At BMV Controlled Sites, either the BMV or the deputy registrar will install an approved alarm system, which will be maintained by the deputy registrar.

3.8 FACILITY MAINTENANCE PLAN SUMMARY

If you are awarded a contract you will be required to adopt a facility maintenance plan, including provisions for maintaining the deputy registrar agency premises. Your plan should detail how you intend to address the items listed below.

If you are awarded a contract, do you agree to be responsible for the following either on your own, through your lease or sublease, or by separate contract:

No _____ Yes

OUTDOOR BUILDING MAINTENANCE
KEEP OUTDOOR AREA FREE OF TRASH AND DEBRIS
PROVISION TO ASSURE PROMPT SNOW AND ICE REMOVAL
CLEANING INSIDE OF AGENCY INCLUDING EQUIPMENT
PROVISION FOR INSIDE/OUTSIDE MAINTENANCE
PROVISION FOR PROFESSIONAL CARPET/FLOOR CLEANING (MIN. OF ONCE A YEAR)
PROVISION FOR REPAINTING AND/OR COSMETIC UPDATES

3.9 INVOLVED AND INVESTED IN YOUR BUSINESS

Instructions: Answer all of the following questions to the best of your ability. Please be concise and attempt to limit each answer to seventy-five (75) words or less. Include attachment(s) if more space is needed to answer any of the questions.

1. How do you plan to manage, be responsible, and be accountable for this business at all times?

I plan on being the one who oversees everything along with having a professional manager that assists too. Paperwork and applications will be checked daily. I will attend all training sessions that I can and also keep open communication with my entire staff along with the Field Staff.

2. How will you ensure that all laws, rules, guidelines and procedures are followed, at all times, specifically with regard to issuing and renewing driver's licenses, identification cards, and vehicle registrations?

My staff, manager, or I will keep up to date on broadcasts and the manual. We will check paperwork and applications daily for any errors. We will follow the instructions given by the BMV for all errors made.

3. What measures will you put in place to detect, deter, and prevent fraud?

I will have cameras in the office, lobby, and storage room areas. I will do random audits on tills and keep track of inventory. I will also make sure all staff is trained to help keep on top of any fraud. All employees will go through any and all fraudulent document training the BMV offers. All employees will also be fingerprinted.

4. The Bureau of Motor Vehicles routinely issues new and/or revised policy and procedural changes through email broadcasts to the deputy registrars. How will you ensure that policies and procedures are communicated to the staff and followed on a daily basis?

All broadcasts will be printed and initialed by all staff. They will be kept and filed in a binder that all employees will have access to. The book will be checked weekly to ensure staff is aware of any new broadcasts that have been sent.

5. How will you demonstrate good leadership to your employees?

I will demonstrate good leadership by being on time, being available if they ever have any questions, updating them on all policy changes, staying calm when things become chaotic, & keep up on all training.

6. How will you maintain a high level of professionalism each day in this business?

I will do my best to keep updated on all policies. I will make sure myself and staff are dressed nicely. I will make sure our customers are served the best they can be. Any issues that occur will be addressed calmly and professionally to have resolved.

7. How do you intend to recruit and retain high quality employees?

I will use job posting sources locally and online. I will contact references for potential employees. I will make sure staff is adequately up to date on all training and procedures.

8. How will you provide a safe, clean and friendly place to do business?

To keep the business safe I will have an alarm system along with cameras that show all lobby, office room, and storage room areas. I will also have panic buttons available to use if a situation arises. To keep the business clean I will make sure the floors are swept, counters are cleaned daily, the office will be dusted as needed by me or staff.

9. How would you deal with an irate customer?

I would first ask what the customer is upset about to make sure I have the details clear. I would then ensure the customer that we are going to try our best to help how we can. If we cannot come to a good resolution and the customer continues to escalate, I would ask the customer to leave.

10. What training or advice do you, or will you, give to your employees for dealing with irate customers?

I tell my staff to keep calm and put their selves in their positions. We always try to let the customer know that we understand things can be frustrating, but our goal is to find a remedy to help. If customers are out of control we as

11. How will you meet the expectations of the Bureau of Motor Vehicles?

I will meet expectations by keeping updated on all training, keeping communication open with the BMV field staff, and also with my employees.

12. Why should the Bureau of Motor Vehicles consider you for a deputy registrar license agency contract?

I was born, raised, and still reside in Defiance County. I have many years with the Ohio BMV and from that I have great knowledge and experience. I started when I was young working for my mom who has been and is still currently a Deputy Registrar for Defiance. I have learned from what I consider some of the best individuals over the years working for the BMV including her. I have been a Deputy Registrar the last three years in Van Wert County. If not at this time I would love to be considered in the future to become Defiance's Deputy Registrar.

3.10(A) AFFIDAVIT OF INDIVIDUAL

(Not to be used by County Auditors, Clerks of Courts or Nonprofit Corporations)

County of Van Wert :

State of Ohio :

I, Jennifer L. Palladino, being first duly sworn, depose and say that:

- 1) I am submitting my proposal for appointment as deputy registrar in my own individual capacity, and not as an agent, representative, partner, or business associate of any kind whatsoever of any other person or persons;
- 2) If appointed, I will serve as a deputy registrar in my own individual capacity, and will not act as an agent, representative, partner, or business associate of any kind whatsoever of any other person or persons;
- 3) If appointed as deputy registrar, I will not assign my deputy registrar contract, in whole or in part, nor any of my deputy registrar's responsibilities to any other person or persons without the advance written consent of the Registrar;
- 4) If appointed as a deputy registrar, I will fully comply with all requirements set forth by the Registrar. I will not serve as an office manager of any deputy registrar agency other than my own; nor will I permit any other deputy registrar, the spouse of any deputy registrar, or the parent, child, brother, or sister of any deputy registrar living in the same household as the deputy registrar to operate my deputy registrar agency, directly or indirectly. I understand that I may hire the spouse, parent, child, brother, or sister of any deputy registrar as an employee, provided that I maintain control of my deputy registrar agency;
- 5) To the best of my knowledge and belief, I am fully qualified to serve as a deputy registrar, and there is no provision of the Ohio Revised Code or the Ohio Administrative Code which would make me ineligible to serve as a deputy registrar; and,
- 6) I have caused to be prepared, have read, and take full responsibility for, all forms and documents submitted with this proposal. All information is true, accurate, and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. This affidavit is submitted by me for the purpose of obtaining a deputy registrar contract.

Signature of proposer: Jennifer L. Palladino

Printed/typed name of proposer: Jennifer L. Palladino

Sworn to and subscribed in my presence by the above named Jennifer Palladino

on this 5th day of Feb, 2026

Stacy Miller
Notary Public



STACY MILLER
Notary Public, State of Ohio
My Commission Expires
08/27/2030

Printed name of Notary Public: Stacy Miller

My commission expires: Aug 27, 2030

4.0 OPERATIONAL CHECKLIST

Proposer's Full Legal Name Jennifer L. Palladino

Location Number 20-A

Proposer Number (BMV use only) _____

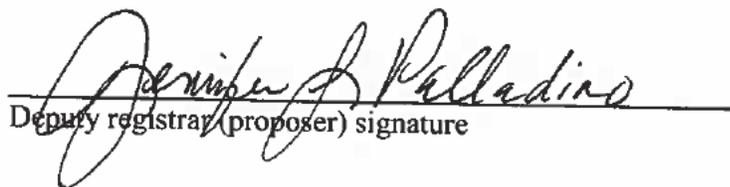
INSTRUCTIONS: You must submit one original of this form and all documents listed on this form **FOR EACH SITE YOU ARE PROPOSING.**

FORM	DESCRIPTION	X	BMV
4.0	Operational Checklist (this form)	✓	
4.1	Appointment of Agency Managers	✓	
4.2	Experienced Employees Summary	✓	
4.3	Staffing and Personnel Costs Calculation	✓	
4.4	Start-Up Costs Calculation Amount: \$ <u>15845.18</u>	✓	
4.5	Deputy Registrar Contract (2 pages only)	✓	

4.1 APPOINTMENT OF AGENCY MANAGERS

Proposer's name: Jennifer L. Palladino Location number: 20-A

- (A) **DEPUTY REGISTRAR:** As deputy registrar, I agree to work in the agency at least 20 hours per week during the hours the agency is open to the public for business throughout the entire term of the contract. I understand that the minimum requirement for deputy registrars is twenty (20) hours per week during the hours the agency is open for business. This twenty-hour requirement does not apply to County Auditors/Clerks of Courts, nonprofit corps., or deputy registrars operating multiple locations (assessed as received).
- (B) **OFFICE MANAGER:** I understand and agree that I must appoint either myself or another reliable person to serve as the office manager for the agency, and that the office manager must be scheduled to work at the agency at least thirty-six (36) hours per week during the hours the agency is open to the public for business. It is my intention to:
- Appoint myself as the office manager and work at least thirty-six hours per week during the hours the agency is open to the public for business.
- Appoint another reliable person to serve as the office manager to work at least thirty-six hours per week during the hours the agency is open to the public for business.
- (C) **ASSISTANT OFFICE MANAGER:** I understand and agree that I must appoint a reliable person to be responsible for the management of the agency in the absence of myself and the agency office manager during the hours the agency is open to the public for business.
- (D) **OTHER EMPLOYEES:** I agree to maintain an accurate and current roster of my office manager, assistant office manager, and all other employees and their work schedules, as well as my own work schedule, on file and available for inspection by BMV employees at all times. I also agree to notify the BMV in writing immediately of any changes in the appointment of the office manager or assistant office manager, and to keep the employee roster complete and current.


Deputy registrar (proposer) signature

Date: 2/1/2026

4.2 EXPERIENCED EMPLOYEES SUMMARY

Proposer's name: Jennifer L. Palladino Location number: 20-A

(A) HIRING EXPERIENCED EMPLOYEES. I certify that if I am appointed as a deputy registrar under contract with the Registrar of Motor Vehicles, I will make every good faith effort to hire and retain qualified employees who have relevant experience working in a deputy registrar agency. I agree to make bona fide offers of employment at comparable wages and under comparable conditions to their most recent deputy registrar employment experience.

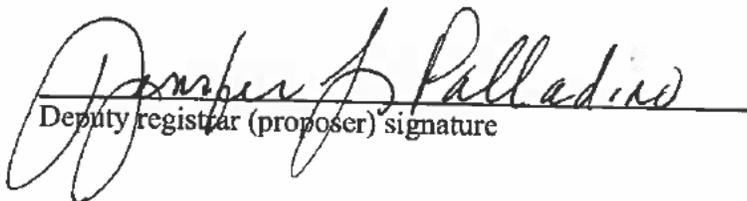
(B) CHECK WHICHEVER APPLIES:

I HAVE NOT BEEN A DEPUTY REGISTRAR OR DEPUTY REGISTRAR EMPLOYEE. I have not yet identified any prospective employees who have relevant deputy registrar experience. However, if awarded a contract, I will make every reasonable effort to identify and hire, if possible, qualified employees who have relevant experience working in a deputy registrar agency. **Please do not contact any deputy registrar employees until after you have been awarded a contract.**

I AM OR HAVE BEEN A DEPUTY REGISTRAR OR DEPUTY REGISTRAR EMPLOYEE. I have identified the following persons to whom I will make a bona fide offer of employment at comparable wages and under comparable conditions to their present employment. (A deputy registrar or a proposer who has deputy registrar employment experience may list himself or herself here):

Name of Experienced Employee	Length of Experience
Jennifer L. Palladino	25 Years
Kendra Cruz	6.5 Years
Christy Baldwin	4.5 Years
Liat Greenler	3 Years
Matthew Saman	1.5 Years

(C) I understand that failure to hire properly qualified and experienced deputy registrar employees is grounds to withhold or terminate my deputy registrar contract.


Deputy registrar (proposer) signature

Date: 2/1/2026

Form 4.2, Experienced Employees Summary (2026)

4.3 STAFFING AND PERSONNEL CALCULATION

Proposer's name: Jennifer L Palladino Location number: 20-A

Instructions. Use this form to project the number of hours the deputy registrar, office manager, assistant office manager, and all other experienced (if known) and/or new hire employees will work, the projected hourly wages paid, and the weekly and monthly payroll costs.

The deputy registrar shall be regularly scheduled and on duty at the license agency at least twenty (20) hours per week, during regular business hours. This twenty-hour requirement does not apply to nonprofit corps., county auditors/clerks of court, or deputy registrars operating multiple locations (assessed as received). The deputy registrar shall appoint a full-time office manager, who shall be either the deputy registrar or a full-time employee with responsibility for management of the agency. The office manager shall be regularly scheduled, and shall work at least thirty-six (36) hours per week during regular business hours. The deputy registrar shall also designate an assistant office manager who shall supervise the agency in the absence of the deputy registrar and the full-time office manager.

The projected total weekly work hours for the deputy registrar and all employees should equal or exceed the minimum staffing recommended for the Class Size Agency as prescribed in the Agency Specifications.

In accordance with the standards established by the United States Department of Labor, Wage and Hour Division; Ohio Constitution; and Ohio Department of Commerce; all license agency employees must be paid at least the current minimum wage rate of \$7.25 per hour by businesses with gross receipts of less than \$405,000 per year and \$11.00 per hour by businesses with gross receipts of \$405,000 or more per year.

The deputy registrar need not list any salary or wages for the deputy's own service as deputy registrar or as the office manager.

Caution. For deputy registrars who also serve as the office manager, be careful not to duplicate hours worked.

EMPLOYMENT POSITION	PROJECTED HOURS PER WEEK	PROJECTED HOURLY RATE	PROJECTED WEEKLY PAY	PROJECTED MONTHLY PAY (weekly x 4)
Deputy Registrar		N/A	N/A	N/A
Office Manager (leave blank if the Deputy Registrar is also the Office Manager)	36.00	\$ 18.00	\$ 648.00	\$ 2,592.00
Assistant Office Manager	36.00	\$ 17.00	\$ 612.00	\$ 2,448.00
Experienced Employees Total Number (combine Full-time & Part-time) = <u>4</u>	82.00	\$ 14.00	\$ 1,148.00	\$ 4,592.00
New Hire Employees Total Number (combine Full-time & Part-time) = <u>0</u>	0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
TOTALS	174.00	N/A	\$ 2,408.00	\$ 9,632.00

4.4 START-UP COSTS CALCULATION

Proposer's name: Jennifer L. Palladino Location number: 20-A

The purpose of this form is to assure the BMV that you are financially able to cover the costs of beginning a deputy registrar business. We need to know that you have enough financial resources to cover your personnel, site preparation, and site rental costs.

1. PERSONNEL COSTS (FOUR WEEKS)

Use Form 4.3 to calculate four (4) weeks' personnel costs for this location.

\$ 9,632.00

2. SITE PREPARATION COSTS (AMORTIZED)

A. If this is a **Deputy Provided Site**, calculate and enter the actual projected costs you will need to spend to prepare the building for use as a deputy registrar agency in each of the following categories:

1. Building Modifications	\$ <u>0.00</u>
2. Counter Costs	\$ <u>0.00</u>
3. Other Costs	\$ <u>0.00</u>
4. Total	\$ <u>0.00</u>

Total amortized over 60 month contract period
(Divide line 4 by 60) = \$ 0.00

B. If this is a **BMV Controlled Site**, enter the information contained in the Agency Specifications for this location. **Do not change the information from the Agency Specifications.**

\$ 0.00

3. AGENCY RENTAL PAYMENTS (3 MONTHS)

A. If this is a **Deputy Provided Site**, enter the actual amount you will pay to rent or lease this site.

B. If this is a **BMV Controlled Site**, enter the estimated rent listed in the Agency Specifications for this site. **Do not change the amount listed.**

One month's rent: \$ 2071.06 x 3 = \$ 6,213.21

TOTAL START-UP COSTS

[four weeks' personnel costs, plus one month's amortized site preparation costs (2.A total amount or 2.B BMV Controlled Site amount), plus three months' rent]

\$ 15,845.21

STATE OF OHIO
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY
BUREAU OF MOTOR VEHICLES
DEPUTY REGISTRAR CONTRACT – 2026

This Agreement is made by and between the Registrar of Motor Vehicles, (Registrar, herein), located at 1970 West Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43223-1102 and Jennifer L. Palladino (deputy registrar, herein) whose



to operate a deputy registrar agency, Location No. 20-A, to be located as follows: in the State of Ohio, County of Defiance

City/Village/Township (indicate which) City of Defiance

Street address: 999 Procom Drive Suite 103

(City) Defiance, Ohio (Zip) 43512

WHEREAS, the Registrar of Motor Vehicles, pursuant to section 4503.03, section 4507.01, and other applicable sections of the Ohio Revised Code, wishes to appoint and contract the above named person as deputy registrar for the above referenced location;

WHEREAS, the above named deputy registrar wishes to accept this appointment and contract as deputy registrar;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

1. The Registrar hereby appoints the above named person as a deputy registrar subject to the 2026 Deputy Registrar Contract Terms and Conditions which are incorporated herein by reference;
2. The above named person hereby accepts appointment as a deputy registrar subject to the 2026 Deputy Registrar Contract Terms and Conditions incorporated herein by reference;
3. The term of this appointment and contract shall begin on the **28th** day of **June, 2026**, and shall end on the **28th** day of **June, 2031**, unless otherwise terminated as provided herein;

4. The deputy registrar is appointed and accepts appointment in the capacity of [state whether: "an individual," "County Auditor for (specify county)," "Clerk of Courts for (specify county)," or "a nonprofit corporation"]:

An Individual.

5. The Deputy Registrar certifies that he or she has read, understands, and hereby agrees to all of the 2026 Deputy Registrar Contract Terms and Conditions incorporated herein.

Jennifer L. Palladino
Deputy Registrar signature

2/5/26
Date

STATE OF OHIO :
COUNTY OF Van Wert :

Before me, a notary public in and for said county and state, personally appeared the above named Jennifer L. Palladino, who acknowledged that he or she did sign the foregoing instrument and that the same is his or her free act and deed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and official seal, this 5 day of Feb, 2026.

Stacy Miller
NOTARY PUBLIC



STACY MILLER
Notary Public, State of Ohio
My Commission Expires
08/27/2030

Printed name of Notary Public: Stacy Miller

My commission Expires: Aug 27, 2030

STATE OF OHIO
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY
BUREAU OF MOTOR VEHICLES

BY: _____
REGISTRAR OF MOTOR VEHICLES

Done at Columbus, Ohio, on
